

REMARKS

Claims 55-70 are pending. Claims 55 and 57 were amended solely to improve their form.

Examiner Interview Summary

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner Zurita and Primary Examiner Kyle for extending the courtesy of a personal interview in respect to this application on October 24, 2005 with Applicant and Applicants' undersigned representative. During the interview, the contents of the previously filed "Amendment Accompanying RCE" was discussed. No agreement was reached regarding the patentability of the claims. A proposed Preliminary Amendment was briefly discussed and agreement was reached that it would be formally filed with a response to a forthcoming "Requirements for Information under 37 CFR § 1.105."

Requirements for Information under 37 CFR § 1.105

A response to the "Requirements for Information..." mailed October 31, 2005 accompanies this Preliminary Amendment.

Prompt examination of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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